

**June 26, 2008**

**New Advisory Opinion**

On June 26, 2008, the Citizen's Ethics Advisory Board met and decided on one new advisory opinion, summarized below. Click on the AO number to read the full text of the opinion.

**2008-4, Caucus Attorneys' Representation of Legislators Before the OSE**

The Citizen's Ethics Advisory Board concluded that the Code's "use of office" provision (§ 1-84 (c)) prohibits a caucus attorney from representing a legislator with respect to an ethics enforcement action. The provision, however, would not prohibit a caucus attorney from representing a legislator with respect to an informal staff letter or advisory opinion from the OSE.

**Web Updates**

You may have noticed a simpler look to the OSE's Web site lately. The changes will provide you with more information in an easy, intuitive manner. Please browse through the site, particularly the newly-updated [Public Information](#), [Programs and Services](#), [Press Room](#), and [Frequently-asked Questions](#) sections.

**Ethics Matters – 2008 Ethics Conference**

Save the date! **September 26, 2008** is Ethics Day in Connecticut. The day's programming will feature an afternoon conference with a plenary session specifically for ethics liaisons. Look for more details to follow this summer.

Best regards,

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